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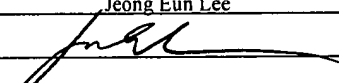
RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 1, 2004 OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

Applicants submit this response to the Non-Final Office Action ("Office Action") mailed on September 1, 2004, in connection with the above-identified patent application. A response to the Office Action is due on December 1, 2004, and accordingly, this response is timely filed.

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